DOCKET NO.: 198006US2PCT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Masakazu YAMAMOTO, et al.

SERIAL NUMBER: 09/623,519

FILED: 03 October 2000

FOR: DIAGNOSTIC SYSTEM FOR FLUID MACHINERY

## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS & TRADEMARKS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Responsive to the notification dated October 30, 2000, and in accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 371, Applicants submit herewith a Rule 63 Declaration and a Preliminary Amendment. As a result of the Preliminary Amendment, no multiple dependencies remain in the claims. However, Applicants are paying additional claims fees of \$812.00.

The required surcharge was paid at the time of filing the application.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

Our check in the amount of \$812.00 is attached hereto. If any variance exists between the amount enclosed, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.



Marvin J. Spivak Attorney of Record Registration No. 24,913 Surinder Sachar Registration No. 34,423



O.S.&M. File No. <u>198006US2PCT</u> By MJS/cs FF
Due date 11/30/00
Serial No. <u>09/623,519</u>
In the Matter of the Application of <u>Masakazu YAMAMOTO, et al.</u>
ForDIAGNOSTIC SYSTEM FOR FLUID MACHINERY
The following has been received in the U.S. Patent Office on the date stamped hereon:
[ ] pgs. Specification,Claims (English Translation)
[>] Response to Notice of Missing Requirement Under 35 U.S.C. 371
[>] Combined Declaration, Petition & Power of Attorney (6 pages)
[>] Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements
[▶] Preliminary Amendment
[ ] Petition for Extension of Time
[►] Check for \$ <u>812.00</u> ; [►] Dep. Acct. Order Form
[ ] Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status
[ ] Submission of Verified Statement (Dec.) Claiming Small Entity Status
[] Declaration of
[ ] Letter Requesting Approval of Drawing Changes
[] Drawings sheets
[ ] List of Related Cases
[] Information Disclosure Statement; [] PTO-1449
[] Cited References ( )
[] Search Report
[ ] Statement of Relevancy

DATE REC'D

60 RECUPCT/PTO 06 NOV 2000